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## Sutton & Harris

### Want their Customers

To know they have gotten in their SPRING LINE of FURNITURE. Everything up-to-date and all new. We carry no old goods—our bed-room suits in Circasian walnut quartered and plain oak, are beauties and our Rockers, Hall and Dining Chairs are great in construction and style, besides we have a beautiful line of

SIDEBOARDS, CHINA CLOSETS, BOOK CASES, CHIFFONNIERS, FOLDING BEDS.

And everything in the Furniture Line. We do not make very much noise about our Piano and Organ business, but call and see us and we can save you a big per cent on these goods. As to CARPETS just follow the crowd and we will show you the nicest carpet ever brought to the town. Everything guaranteed as represented.

Undertaking a specialty.

## Sutton & Harris,

Fizer Building, Mt. Sterling, Ky.

### Bourbon Items.

(News.)

P. I. McCarthy qualified as Treasurer of Bourbon county and also as Treasurer of the Garth Fund. Separate bonds were required with two sureties each which were given—the aggregate wealth of the sureties being four million dollars.

The social and musical at the Christian Church Wednesday night for the benefit of the Sunday School library netted \$137.

Edwin Boone, the hypnotist, has returned home. He did a good business, having netted \$1800.

### Wholesome Suggestions.

The sensible man guards his credit as he does his honor; he is prompt to the very moment of meeting his obligations; he never lets his paper go to protest; he is exact and systematic in his method; his employees know their places and keep them.

The Franklin county grand jury has indicted twelve distillers for failing to report to the Auditor. The due is from \$500 to \$1,000. There were no local distillers in the list.

## CANCER IS DEADLY!

### Results Fatally in Nine Cases Out of Ten—A Cure Found at Last.

This fearful disease often first appears as a mere scratch, a pimple, or lump in the breast, too small to attract any notice, until, in many cases, the deadly disease is fully developed.

Cancer can not be cured by a surgical operation, because the disease is a virulent poison in the blood, circulating throughout the system, and although the sore or ulcer—known as the Cancer—may be cut away, the poison remains in the blood, and promptly breaks out afresh, with renewed violence.

The wonderful success of S. S. S. in curing obstinate, deep-seated blood diseases which were considered incurable, induced a few despairing sufferers to try it for Cancer, after exhausting the skill of the physicians without a cure. Much to their delight S. S. S. proved equal to the disease and promptly effected a cure. The glad news spread rapidly, and it was soon demonstrated beyond doubt that a cure had at last been found for deadly Cancer. Evidence has accumulated which is incontrovertible, of which the following is a specimen:

"Cancer is hereditary in our family, my father, a sister and an aunt having died from this dreadful disease. My feelings may be imagined when the terrible disease made its appearance on my side. It was a malignant Cancer, eating inwardly in such a way as to cause great alarm. The disease seemed beyond the skill of the doctors, for their treatment did no good whatever, the Cancer growing worse all the while. Numerous remedies were used for it, but the Cancer grew steadily worse, until it seemed that I was doomed to follow the others of the family, for I knew how deadly Cancer is, especially when inherited. I was advised to try Swift's Specific (S. S. S.), which from the first day, forced out the poison. I continued its use until I had taken eighteen bottles, when I was cured sound and well, and have had no symptoms of the dreadful affliction for many years have elapsed. S. S. S. is the only cure for Cancer.—Mrs. S. M. Idol, Winston, N. C.

Our book on Cancer, containing other testimonials and valuable information, will be sent free to any address by the Swift Specific Company, Atlanta, Georgia.



MRS. S. M. IDOL.

## NATIONAL

Benefits Derived From the Religion of Christ.

National Character, Like That of

An Individual,

Is the Established Order of Disposition.

National life is but a type of the manhood fostered by a nation's laws; hence whatever contributes to the betterment of the individual life of a nation is a national benefit.

Are there any such benefits enjoyed by the American people which have come to us through the religion of Christ? We have but to contrast the history of nations less prosperous and desirable to appreciate the principles upon which our government was founded, and whose legitimate fruit are the national benefits we enjoy.

National character, like that of an individual, is the established order of disposition. Questions and things must be treated by nations as well as by individuals; and the accepted order of disposition becomes known as the character of the nation.

Along the line of national character in view of those facts, America (U. S.) presents the strongest arguments the world has known in support of the principles of Christianity in matters of government.

Our people are a conglomeration of all the blood and brain the world affords, and yet, in spite of natural disadvantages arising from this feature of its people, the social advantages of America stand as a model in the eyes of the world. What has been the cause of this uplift? The teachings of Christ and the apostles.

Muscle and iron are useful agencies but they serve a small place in demonstrating the power of a man or a nation. Men are not measured by the size of the waist band, nor do we measure the nation's power by the distance from New York to San Francisco, but by the heaven-born spirit of charity for the oppressed and love for the world.

No nation, on the earth now, or known to history, ever extended its commerce in so short a time to such proportions as that enjoyed by the American people, going forth with a sense of honor bestowed on them by the giver of the great Commission.—W. H. Knapp, in Christian Guide.

## ROYAL BAKING POWDER

ABSOLUTELY PURE

Makes the food more delicious and wholesome

### Queer Advertisements.

Somebody has been collecting queer advertisements from the papers; here are a few specimens:

Wanted—An organist and a boy to blow the same.

Wanted—A boy to be partly outside and partly behind the counter.

Widow in comfortable circumstances wishes to marry two sons.

Annual sale now on. Don't go elsewhere to be cheated—come in here.

For sale—A pianoforte, the property of a musician with carved legs.

Wanted—A room by two gentlemen about thirty feet long and twenty feet broad.

A lady wants to sell her piano, as she is going abroad in a strong iron frame.

Wanted by a respectable girl, her passage to Europe; willing to take care of children and a good sailor.

To be disposed of, a mail phonograph, the property of a gentleman with a gentleman with a movable headpiece as good as new.

Lost near Highgate archway, an umbrella belonging to a gentleman with bent rib and bone handle.

Lost—A collie dog by a man on Saturday evening, answering to Jim with a brass collar around his neck and a muzzle.

Mr. Brown, furrier, begs to announce that he will make up gowns, caps, etc., for ladies out of their own skins.

### POLITICAL SCHEMERS

Knocked Out the Rock Crushers in Bourbon.

On our recent trip in Bourbon we saw men breaking rock by hand for the pike. We asked about the crushers bought a few years ago and were informed by the contractor that they had been side-tracked and that the pikes were being supplied with hand-broke stone. We understand that "politics" did it.

### Are Tired of War.

Maj. Gen. Otis says the better class of the Filipinos are tired of war and desire peace. The rebels are much scattered, and will not engage in open battle, seeking only to attack detached forces. They are demoralized and weakened by death and desertion, but hope to profit by the withdrawal of volunteers. The return of the volunteers will begin May 5, and will continue during June and July.

### Counterfeiters Nabbed.

In Philadelphia Arthur Taylor and Baldwin S. Bredwell have been arrested for counterfeiting. There seems to be a wholesale gang engaged in this illegal business, many of whom are now in the hands of the officials. Quite a number are prominent in business. Enough counterfeit stamps were found to cover \$40,000,000.

### A \$100 Dinner.

The second "dollar" Bryan dinner—this one called the workmen's dinner—was given on last Wednesday night at the Grand Central Palace, in New York. About one thousand five hundred men and women were present.

### Tallaferro Senator From Florida.

In the Florida Legislature on last Thursday James P. Tallaferro, of Jacksonville, was elected United States Senator on the first joint ballot receiving fifty-nine votes out of the total vote of ninety-six.

### Diamond Dust.

The delight to do right is the only right delight.

Prayer is the parent of piety and the pioneer of prosperity.

Do the best you know, and you will soon know what is best to do.

Honesty is a jewel, but that is no reason why you should keep it for special occasions.

He who casts stones at others makes of himself a target for their return.

If we owe a debt, he helps us pay it. If we owe a man, he requires us to pay.

Take care of number one, but take care it is the right—the soul, not the body.

Some men like to mistake the echoes of their desires for the voice of conscience.

The sin which has been soaked in the tears of repentance is easiest washed away.

Gossip is a beast of prey that does not wait for the death of the creature it devours.

A grain of sand in the eye can cause excruciating agony. A grain of pepper in place of the grain of sand intensifies the torment.

The pain is not confined to the organs affected. The whole body feels the shock of the little irritating particle.

It is so when there is any derangement or disorder of the delicate womanly organs. The disorder may seem trivial but the whole body feels it.

The nervous system is disordered. There are fretfulness, irritability, silliness and depression of spirits.

The general health of woman depends on the local health of the organs peculiarly feminine. Remove the drains, stop the heatings down pains, and other afflictions of women and the whole body feels the benefit.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is specific for the diseases that undermine the strength of women. It is free from opium, cocaine and other narcotics, poisons which enter into many other preparations for women's use. It makes weak women strong and sick women well.

### Work and Worry.

It is not work but worry that kills. Some one has asked the question, "Why is it that a little child can run about from morning until night without ever seeming to get tired? If sleep overtakes him at all, it has to catch him unawares."

But the answer is that the child does the work and lets the father take the worry. If we would live life in that way we should find much more enjoyment, and our work would not weary us. Let us do the work, and let our Heavenly Father take the worry.

A Farmer's Reason For Temperance.

At a recent temperance meeting a farmer gave five reasons for being a total abstainer. These were: "Love of himself, of his home, of his friends of his country, and, most important, love of his God, whose commandments he considered, embrace total abstinence."

### Ninety Per Cent.

Of the people are afflicted with some form of humor, and this causes a variety of diseases. The reason why Hood's Sarsaparilla cures when all others fail is found in the fact that it effectually expels the humor. Scrofula, salt rheum, boils and all eruptions are permanently cured by this great medicine.

Hood's Pills are the best family cathartic and liver tonic. Gentle, reliable, sure.

## AMERICAN ENTERPRISE

As Seen On Every Sea and Land.

Judge Van Wyck, of New York,

on "Our Country and Her

Commerce."

In a recent speech Judge Augustus Van Wyck, of New York, in responding to the toast, "Our Country and Her Commerce," said:

"Your patience and my voice would both alike give out long before the task was finished if I should venture to discuss with anything like adequacy even a very few of the more important branches of American commerce. It has come to pass, as you know, that our country is now the greatest center of industry and the chief producer of exports on the globe. The evidences of our skill and enterprise are to be found on every sea and in the remotest hamlets of every civilized and half-civilized country. Our steel rails, for instance, are being laid in British India, and our locomotives are in demand in Europe, Asia and South America. More than two-thirds of the Old World is clothed with our cotton, and were it not for the abundance of our soil, combined with the well-applied labor of our husbandmen, the inhabitants of several of the chief nations would suffer for the lack of food. In the villages of Arabia the American lamp filled with American oil may be said to typify the mental light which, we trust, is destined to reach those remote nooks from our centers of Christian culture; our reaping machines are finding increasing favor among the farmers of Russia; the electric light, as developed by Edison, sheds a cheerful radiance over Cairo and Jerusalem; France has become a considerable purchaser of American wine, and the people of the British Isles are reading newspapers printed by presses of American invention on American paper and walk about their daily business in American shoes. Japan is buying American built ships of war; China is coming to terms with our men of enterprise for the opening up of some of her too long dormant sources of wealth, and in Australia we find a still improving market for all sorts of Yankee notions.

"That a country shall be great commercially several things must coexist within its borders. It must have the necessary natural resources; its people must be skillful and industrious enterprise must be fostered by just laws and the spur of free competition."

Porter's Antiseptic Healing Oil.

Relieves all pain instantly. For cuts, burns, boils, bruises, itch, eczema, catarrh, sore throat, erysipelas, corns, chapped hands or lips, piles, and all ulcers or sores of skin or mucous membrane, it is a sure and permanent cure. Will cure sore or inflamed eyes in 48 hours. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded.

Horsemen will find this oil will cure scratches, cracked heels, halter burns, old sores and collar galls. No cure no pay.

For sale by W. S. Lloyd, Mt. Sterling, Ky.

### What Teller Says.

Senator Teller, of Colorado, in an interview says that the silver organization should be maintained throughout the country, as he believes the money question will again be the great issue in 1900. He says the next Democratic national convention will endorse the Chicago platform and that the silver Republicans will ally themselves with the Democrats.

### For Poultrymen.

Any person desiring to order fine chickens, or their eggs, as advertised for L. A. Woodford & Co., will leave their orders with us. We have price list and will take pleasure in securing what you want. 34-ct

## Enoch's Bargain House!

### Wall Paper.

We have just received our NEW SPRING LINE of WALL PAPER, which is now complete, and is one of the biggest and prettiest lines we have ever shown. Prices ranging from 5c a bolt up.

### Stoves.

We carry a line of Stoves, which is unequalled. In our O. K. JEWELLS we guarantee every back 5 years.

### 5c and 10c Counters.

Everybody looks for our 5 and 10 cent Counters. They are now full and complete with new and attractive goods.

BIG BARGAINS.

### Dry Goods.

We are closing out our Dry Goods at one-half price to get rid of them. Call and look at them.

Our windows are always full of big bargains. Notice them.

TINWARE, QUEENSWARE, GLASSWARE, HARDWARE.

Our Motto:—"Big Sales and Little Profit."

## Enoch's Bargain House,

WEST MAIN STREET, Mt. Sterling.

THE BEST OF THEM ALL!!

### LIPPINCOTT'S MONTHLY MAGAZINE

Contains a complete novel in every number, in addition to a large quantity of useful and entertaining reading matter. It is subscription to meet readers. It should be in every household. Subscription, \$3.00 per year. Agents wanted in every town, to whom the most liberal inducements will be offered. J. B. LIPPINCOTT COMPANY, Publishers, PHILADELPHIA.

## WANTED!

Eggs, Old Hens, Roosters, Ducks, Geese, Turkeys, Hides, for which we will pay the highest market price.

## Sullivan & Toohy

Mt. Sterling, Ky.

### For Sale.

Seventy and one-fourth acres good farming land, one mile from Mt. Sterling on good turnpike. Set in grass. Call on or address. J. W. YOUNG, North Middletown or N. B. YOUNG, Judy, Ky.

## ADVOCATE PUBLISHING CO.

Tuesday, April 25, 1899.

Entered in the Post Office at Mt. Sterling as Second Class Mail Matter.

## TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION:

SUBSCRIPTION: 1.00  
allowed to run six months. 1.50

## TERMS ANNOUNCEMENT.

For County Offices..... \$ 5  
For District "..... 10

Cash must accompany order.  
No announcement inserted until paid for.

## DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES.

FOR LEGISLATURE—  
L. N. GREENE,  
Of Montgomery County.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce John R. Chenuit, of Madison county as candidate for State Auditor, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce Mr. Green R. Keller, of Nicholas county, as a candidate for Secretary of State, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce M. A. Cassidy, of the county of Fayette, as a candidate for Superintendent of Public Instruction, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

I am a candidate for re-election as Railroad Commissioner from the Third Kentucky District, subject to the action of the Republican party. I base my claims upon the following: My loyalty to all its nominees; years of earnest effort for its success, and faithful and conscientious performance of my official duties.

Respectfully,  
JOHN C. WOOD.

## TRUSTS.

It has been shown that the railroad trust, the first trust to be organized in this country was not an unmitigated evil. The proof of it was that the trust reduced its rates on shipping enormously and that the general public was saved more than two billions and a half dollars under the average traffic rates since its organization. Had the rate that prevailed before the trust was organized been continued all the years the aggregate increase profits of the roads in the trust would have been more than six billions. That amount was saved by the people. Neither the consignor nor the consignee pays the freight. The consumer pays it when he buys. To the sale price of every article of merchandise is added the freight charges by the merchant, hence the reduced traffic charge was a saving for the people.

But the railroad trust methods are not adopted by all trusts. All trusts do not save the people money. Neither do all trusts increase the profits of labor in harmony with the profits of capital. When aggregate capital becomes selfish, failing to reduce the cost of its productions for the benefit of the consumer, or fails to increase the price of labor employed in the productions, then the trust is an evil that should be squelched immediately and effectively. There are trusts to-day that have unlimited power in their fields and which have become tyrannical in the abuse of this possessed power. They attempt to crush out of existence all competition by methods positively criminal.

Trusts that say to a retailer, as many of them have said and are saying, "You can not sell our goods if you sell those of other manufacturers," are adopting coercive powers that no one can approve defend, or mitigate. No one would be silly enough to attempt it. Trusts that stop producing simply to increase the price of their productions, when their capital invested is giving them a fair reward, equal to that of the labor employed, are unmitigated evils and would be

better out of existence. No one would say a word to spare or respite them. Mr. Thurber, the president of the Export Association in his testimony before the industrial commission said:

"The only trusts which have succeeded for any length of time have been those which have been conducted on a far-sighted basis of moderate margins of profit, relying upon a large turn-over and the economies resulting from the command of large capital intelligently administered."

They are the only trusts that should be permitted to exist. There are trusts and trusts, some for good, some for evil. It is hard to separate the sheep from the goats, but it is easy to condemn all for the sins of those who have sinned and are sinning.—Exchange.

## INSURANCE QUESTION.

On last Wednesday a fit of excitement prevailed in our city, which was occasioned by a collision between the Grand Jury on one side and Judge Cooper, presiding, and Commonwealth's Attorney Young on the other. As we understand it the Court had instructed the grand jury on the subject of "trusts and combines" that evidence had been adduced before the jury to the effect that there is a local board which a greater number of insurance companies belong, have a fixed rate to which each company is obligated. The grand jury with evidence in hand were about to adjourn without indicting. The Commonwealth's Attorney was in possession of these facts and went before the Court with an affidavit relating same. Thereupon the Court ordered the grand jury brought before him, when he reminded them of their oath and duties as grand jurors, with the further statement that other grand juries would follow them. The jury returned to their room where the question was reconsidered and indictments returned against thirty-one companies doing business here—three of the jurymen dissenting.

To us this appears as a matter of difference in opinion only. The grand jury is composed of our best citizens—men of reputation and high moral standing. They were under oath and we presume no one would question their honesty of purpose. In their hands as grand jurors is the protection of life and property, and it is to their interest as well as to the interest of the community, that they be honest and true.

On the other hand the judge upon the bench and the attorney in the prosecution of his office are likewise under oath and they are of the choosing of the people, because of their ability, their honor and their integrity. There is no reason why they should not be just as between man and man, and hence the action on part of jury and Court appears to us only as a difference of opinion.

Before the meeting of the Court it was our opinion that it would be unwise to indict the insurance companies at this time, and we have had no cause to change our minds.

We can see in this entire matter nothing more than an agreed rate, as between companies, with no view whatever of driving other companies from the field. The fact is we have companies independent of the board, some of which are just as solvent as those in the board, and the people who insure can deal with either according to choice.

On the same ground all professionals which have a schedule rate and who respect it, would be subject to indictment. We believe that all trusts and combines, of whatever character, whose object is the advancement of one against that of the consumer and the la-

borer, should cease to have an existence.

In this government of ours one of its basal structures is equal privileges to all, and no man has a right under the guise of law to appreciate his interests over that of another. This is Democracy, this is right, but we should be able to discriminate between the mere consolidation of capital and between trusts and combines, whose sole purpose is self-aggrandizement.

The meeting of Court and Attorney with the foreman of the grand jury with these differences of opinions was a case of "Greek meet Greek," "diamond cut diamond."

Were the duties of public officers better understood by the people there would be less to do over difference of opinions.

Six negroes of Palmetto, Ga., have registered vows to kill six white men of that place. The first victim of the conspirators was Mr. Hal Johnston, a farmer, who was chopped to pieces with an axe and his wife criminally assaulted. The time has come when the white people of the South will have to fortify their homes and mount huge guns in order to protect themselves from the ravages of such cursed fiends, yet our Northern brethren cry out, when they hear of a negro dying at the end of a rope, or at the stake, "Another Southern Outrage," without considering the crime committed by the fiend.

The brute had justice meted out to him, although in a horrible form.

## LITTLE MULES VERSUS BIG HORSES.

There is no money in raising small mules. Unless a man has a mare large enough to bring a big mule there is no good business sense in raising any. It will be much better judgment to cross with a large, stylish stallion and raise something for which there is a big demand at paying prices.

The Democratic convention of the Third Railroad District will meet in Winchester to-morrow. A full delegation will attend from here, and it appears that notwithstanding Col. A. W. Hamilton will be the only candidate before the convention, it will be well attended. Col. Hamilton will make a brilliant campaign and will poll the full vote.

Representative Cannon, of Illinois has announced as a candidate for Speaker of the next House of Representatives.

## THE BOSTON BLOOMERS.

Ladies' Champion Base Ball Club of the World.

One of the most exciting and interesting games of the season will take place in this city on Saturday, April 29th, between the Ladies' Champion Base Ball Club of Boston, Mass., and a Mt. Sterling picked nine.

Stephens & Fesler sold three nice geldings last week for the round sum of \$1,000, one of which brought \$600.

## CASTORIA.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Horses Wanted.

I have an order for two horses, one must be a fair saddle horse and drive gentle. The other must be a horse rate for a lady to drive.

ASA BEAN.

The "Book Social" at the residence of James M. Pickrell on last Friday evening was most interesting and very profitable as well.

## Lost.

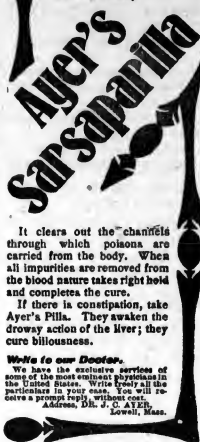
The person who finds a small open-faced silver watch, with short vest chain and cross charm, will be rewarded by leaving it at this office.

Frank Clarke, of Lexington, has accepted a position with John Feehan, the tinmer.

Half Sick  
Half Well

Many persons have their good day and their bad day. Others are about half sick all the time. They have headache, backache, and are restless and nervous. Food does not taste good, and the digestion is poor; the skin is dry and scaly and disfigured with pimples or eruptions; sleep brings no rest and work is a burden.

What is the cause of all this? Impure blood. And the remedy?



## GREAT CONFLAGRATION

At Clay City—Business Portion of the Town in Ashes.

The most disastrous fire in the history of Clay City occurred on Friday morning after 1 o'clock. The fire originated in the second story of Merriett's saloon. The following houses were burned: The saloon, Clarke's store, John Turner's and the Blue Grass groceries, J. W. Williams' dry goods store, Baker & Wareworth's general store, Mrs. Jennie Russell's boarding house and a dwelling.

The fire apparatus of the Clay City Lumber Co's plant was brought into service and no doubt much property was saved by its use. The company has several hundred feet of 2 inch hose and this was connected to the main along the street which is supplied with water by the power at the mill.

On account of Wallace's Combined Great Circus, which will exhibit at Huntington, W. Va., Saturday, May 6th, the Chesapeake & Ohio railway has arranged for special excursion trains and low rates from Morehead to Huntington and return, White House to Huntington and return and from Ironton to Huntington and return at rates lower than ever. Don't fail to see the parade which will be a grand sight. The circus has more horses, animals and more acts than any other circus. Take the children and spend the day in Huntington, one of the most enterprising cities in West Virginia. Rates lower than ever. For further particulars see small bills or call upon the ticket agent of the Chesapeake railway at your nearest station.

## Improvement.

Mr. W. S. Lloyd will contract right away for the improving and beautifying of his already lovely residence. The building will be made a two story and of the latest design. Architects are now working on the plans and specifications.

## To Close the Season.

The Grand Opera House will close the season Friday, April 28th. With the best and only Rag-time Negro Opera on the road. Broke all records at Heuck's Opera House, Cincinnati, last week, playing to standing room only each and every night. Approved by all the papers in Cincinnati. Reserved seats on sale at R. C. Lloyd's Wednesday. Popular prices—25c, 35c, 50c.

Canned goods with more water than substance is mighty poor eating. Buy the best from C. F. Keesee & Co.

# A Baby

Is the pride of the household. Buy a new Carriage

And take the little one out riding in the fresh air and sunshine. You will find our carriages are very Reasonable.

We are headquarters for

## IRON BEDS

and we sell the best and cheapest Iron Beds in the country.



See our line of Chiffoniers.

A lot of SOLID OAK CENTER TABLES at prices that will surprise you.

You do not have to go to other cities to buy Furniture on account of high prices. We will sell you what you want at Cincinnati prices.

If you haven't got the CASH, your credit is good at our store.

## WHEELER &amp; JOHNS,

Opera House Building.

Mt. Sterling, - - Ky.

## VEHICLES and LIVERY.

We called to see B. F. Settles, the enterprising carriage manufacturer and dealer and liveryman. He keeps a stock of first-class Buggies, Surries, Broughams, Phaetons, both of his own make and from reputable factories. His KENTUCKY BREAK CART is celebrated.

Wm. Settles, his father, is at the head of the blacksmith department, and has devoted nearly sixty years to the business.

Ed. Settles is the trimmer, and Arthur Bybee is chief man in the paint shop.

Altogether they turn out excellent work, both as to workmanship and material.

In connection with this business is a Livery, where first-class turnouts are constantly for use. A call at his place of business on East High Street will convince you that he is prepared to supply your wants.

He is prepared to do repairing and repainting on short notice. Call to see him.

## New Store at Stanton.

The Cincinnati Store, which was recently opened in this city by Mr. Friedman, of Cincinnati, will this week open a branch store at Stanton. It will be under the charge of Mr. Lawrence Oldham. We ask our readers to call on Mr. Oldham and inspect his stock.

## Circuit Court at Campton.

Trimble, of the ADVOCATE, is attending Circuit Court, which convened at Campton on yesterday. There are Facts and Observations in store.

Mr. Ed. Reis has shipped the past two weeks 7 ears old iron and one half ear of bones. Such a man as Mr. Reis is worth something to a community. He gathers up the waste and pays the cash for it.

Only four people from Winchester attended the performance given by Nat Goodwin at Lexington Thursday evening.

Have you been to see Amyx Bros? They handle only the best goods.

"Coontown 400" at Opera House on Wednesday, April 26.



## A BYZANTINE INTERIOR

never revealed anything in mural decorations that were richer, or more harmonious in color or fantastic or beautiful in design than we can show in our varied and up to date stock of Wall Papers. They run through all the gamut of colors and designs that are new, novel and handsome.

Window Shades, Picture Frames and Glass a specialty.

A. Schlegel,  
Mt. Sterling, Ky.

At the Grand Opera House to-night the famous Passion Cantata moving pictures Prices 10, 20 and 30c.





# "Every Path Hath a Puddle."

The puddle in the pathway of most lives is a defective circulation due to a blood supply that instead of growing clear and strong like a mountain brook, is stagnant and impure. Puddles may be purified, however, and become limpid streams. That is what Hood's Sarsaparilla does with human blood.

It clarifies, purifies and strengthens the blood, and when this is accomplished, the vital organs, liver, lungs, kidneys, bowels, are all braced and invigorated. It never disappoints.

**Dyspepsia**—Suffered everything but death for years with dyspepsia. Nothing relieved me until I took Hood's Sarsaparilla and it made and kept me well. Can eat anything I wish. Mrs. Emma Mearns, Hall's Mill, Danbury, Conn.

**Impure Blood**—Five years I suffered with pimples on face and body. Hood's Sarsaparilla cured me permanently. It also cured my father's skin. ALBERT E. CHART, Turin City, Cal.

**Itchy Pimples**—My little girl is now fat and healthy on account of Hood's Sarsaparilla curing her of eczema and eczema. It is our family medicine as we all take it. Mrs. H. O. WHEATLEY, Fort Chester, N. Y.

**Hood's Sarsaparilla**  
Never Disappoints

Hood's Pills cure liver, bile, the indigestible and only cathartic to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

FOOT-PRINTS.

And departing here behind them Foot-prints in the sands of time.

Foot-prints made by man in passing From the cradle to the grave: All his hopes he leaves behind him And the fame his soul doth crave.

Are vain fancies falsely won; For, where'er he's path may be, Nature's history has proven They will not last eternally.

Many men with steps though plastic Over verdant fields are led, But the herbage springs elastic Under their unsmiling tread.

Some through sands their course are tracing Leaving prints but of a day, For ever are the winds effacing The faintest marks on their way.

Some, like Atlas, world-encumbered Sink into the clay and stone; Still the rain-drops, heaven-numbered, Beat still e'er trace is gone.

There is no fame that is lasting; Deeper prints leave longer stay; Yet all the moulds men are casting The winds and waters wash away.

—C. R. Ogg, in April Century.

## To the North.

The Queen & Crescent Route has inaugurated a service of observation cars on the famous Blue Grass route between Cincinnati and Lexington. Four trains daily to Cincinnati with close connection with all trains north.

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"When you hear an old one-headed that is too prejudiced to subscribe for his county paper, continually prating to his neighbor that the paper is no account, and then always ready each week when the paper arrives to snatch it like a hungry wolf would a half grown lamb and prop himself up to read and sometimes compel honest subscribers to stand aside till he has perused the last line, set him down right there as a thief and a robber and will bear watching. We believe he would steal the 'd' shirt off of a negro."

**Condition of Louisville Banks.**  
The abstract of reports from the Louisville national banks at the close of business April 3, as reported to the Controller of the Currency, show the average reserve to be \$432 per cent. The loans and discounts amount to \$7,281,398.58; total assets, \$886,239.55; individual deposits, \$7,767,660.87, and total resources \$22,491,908.74.

## Limbless Millionaire.

The only armless and legless millionaire on earth is Henry Wendoff, of Mauch Chunk, Pa. He was dismembered in a railway accident twenty years ago. Mr. Wendoff has four artificial limbs which cost him \$25,000, and with these he manages to get along very well.

The christian who borrows religion will never have any to return.

## COL. BRYAN'S

### VIEWS ON IMPERIALISM

To the Fresno, Cal., Evening Democrat.

To the Fresno, Cal., Evening Democrat Wm. J. Bryan gives his views on imperialism:

"Dear Sir:—In answer to your request for an article on the Philippine question for your paper, I regret to say that pressure of work upon me at this time makes it impossible for me to write at length.

"McKinley announced in his Boston speech that the policy of the government respecting the Philippines was in the hands of the American people. It is a question which the people must decide, and much depends upon its settlement.

"I think it can be shown from a peculiar standpoint that it will cost us more to conquer the Philippines and keep them in subjection than we shall be able to make out of the enterprise, and what money does return from the Philippines will not find its way to the pockets of those who supply sons for the army and whose taxation furnishes the shew of war. It also involves original immigration to compete with American labor.

"But there is another and a higher view to take of it than the money view. The principle of conquest is wrong. Our nation has steadily contended against it and it is impossible to calculate the far-reaching effect upon our people of a doctrine that would substitute force for reason in the declaration of the nation's policy. Those who oppose imperialism plead not for the Philippine but for the American people. Our nation is strong enough to do harm, but it ought to be too great to do wrong.

"I feel confident that the sober second thought of the American people will sustain those who believe that the Philippines should be treated like the Cubans, namely: Given their independence and protected from outside interference.

Very truly yours,  
WM. J. BRYAN."

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## More Soldiers.

Congressman Hall, of Iowa, Chairman on Military Affairs, is of the opinion the President will call for more volunteers owing to the present condition in the Philippines.

## A Raise.

The American Car and Foundry Company, which has employed 2,000 hands, has increased their pay ten per cent.

In religious controversy ferocity is not the best sign of fidelity.

The farmer who keeps bees plants buckwheat to feed his bees. He understands that to put flowers rich in honey where the bees can get them with least effort, means an increase in the quantity and quality of the honey gathered in the hives.

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Fill a bottle or common glass with your water and let it stand for twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys; if it stains your linen it is evidence of kidney trouble; too frequent desire to pass it or pain in the back is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

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## From Angell's Lessons on Kindness to Animals.

Never stick pins into butterflies and other insects, unless you would like to have somebody stick pins into you.

Never to carry poultry with their heads hanging down unless you would like to be carried in the same way.

Never to throw stones at those harmless creatures, the frogs, unless you would like to have stones thrown at you in the same way.

That nearly all snakes are harmless and useful.

That earth worms are harmless and useful, and that when you use them in fishing they ought to be killed instantly, before you start, by plunging them into a dish of boiling water.

That it is very cruel to keep fish in glass globes slowly dying.

That it is kind to feed the birds in winter.

That bits should never be put in horses' mouths in cold weather without being first warmed.

That it is cruel to keep twitching the reins while driving.

That when your horse is put in a strange place you should always be sure that he is properly fed and watered, and in cold weather that his blanket is properly put on.

That you should never ride after a poor-looking horse when you can help it. Always look at the horse and refuse to ride after a poor-looking one, or a horse whose head is tied up by a tight check-rein.

That you should always talk kindly to every dumb creature.

That you should always treat every dumb creature as you would like to be treated yourself if you were in the creature's place.

## LAND, STOCK AND CROPS.

On Tuesday B. F. Bedford, Jr., of Paris, sold 35 plain cattle, weight 550 pounds, at 4 1/2 c. to W. T. Fitzpatrick and John Rose. The cattle came from Bowling Green.

On Monday and Tuesday W. B. Kidd shipped 187 hogs, average 204 pounds, at \$3.45. They go to Massachusetts.

Ernest Henry sold 21 75-pound hogs to Cap. Gillespie at \$3.25.

John Hughes, of Bath, delivered to Lyman & Green 30 245-pound hogs at \$3.40.

On Tuesday J. H. Henry delivered to W. B. Kidd 36 261-pound hogs at \$3.60. This is the best bunch of hogs sold and the highest price.

John P. Dickerson, of Salt Lick, on Tuesday delivered to Andy English, at Sharpburg, two aged horse mules at \$150 for the pair. J. W. Mazon, of same place, sold one for \$75.

## Brick Streets at Paris.

The City Council has employed an engineer to make a plan of the streets of Paris, preparatory to building brick streets.

## TRAMP

### A VERY SUCCESSFUL LOVER

Rich St. Louis Man in a Queer Disguise.

A few weeks ago William Hulbert, of St. Louis, went to Harrodsburg, Ind. in tattered garments begging money. He was compelled to walk on two crutches. He claimed that he was wounded in a railroad wreck a number of years ago, and after struggling many months in a hospital, had come almost unable to walk.

From there he went to Danville, Ky., and met Miss Carrie Bell Tuttle, a charming young lady, who fell in love with him at first sight.

Last Tuesday night they went to Harrodsburg, aroused the county clerk, procured a marriage license and were married by Rev. H. Pearce Atkins, at the Commercial hotel. Wednesday morning they were taken in the town in a rubber-tired carriage. It has developed to the chagrin of a number of Harrodsburg's charitable people, that Hulbert is very wealthy. Miss Tuttle is said to be a popular society girl of Danville.

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The Louisville races will begin May 5 and continue until May 20. A great meeting is expected.

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## SOUTHERN RAILWAY.

(IN KENTUCKY) Schedule in Effect Nov. 1, 1898.

STATIONS	No. 1. No. 1. No. 1.	No. 2. No. 2. No. 2.
Lexington	7:00 a.m.	7:00 a.m.
Paris	8:00 a.m.	8:00 a.m.
Harrodsburg	9:00 a.m.	9:00 a.m.
Frankfort	10:00 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
Georgetown	11:00 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
Paris	12:00 p.m.	12:00 p.m.
Frankfort	1:00 p.m.	1:00 p.m.
Georgetown	2:00 p.m.	2:00 p.m.
Harrodsburg	3:00 p.m.	3:00 p.m.
Paris	4:00 p.m.	4:00 p.m.
Lexington	5:00 p.m.	5:00 p.m.

IN EFFECT NOV. 22, 1898.

STATIONS	No. 1. No. 1. No. 1.	No. 2. No. 2. No. 2.
Lexington	7:00 a.m.	7:00 a.m.
Paris	8:00 a.m.	8:00 a.m.
Harrodsburg	9:00 a.m.	9:00 a.m.
Frankfort	10:00 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
Georgetown	11:00 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
Paris	12:00 p.m.	12:00 p.m.
Frankfort	1:00 p.m.	1:00 p.m.
Georgetown	2:00 p.m.	2:00 p.m.
Harrodsburg	3:00 p.m.	3:00 p.m.
Paris	4:00 p.m.	4:00 p.m.
Lexington	5:00 p.m.	5:00 p.m.

**Louisville & Nashville R.R. (KENTUCKY CENTRAL DIV.)**

Schedule in Effect Jan. 26, 1894.

STATIONS	No. 1. No. 1. No. 1.	No. 2. No. 2. No. 2.
Lexington	7:00 a.m.	7:00 a.m.
Paris	8:00 a.m.	8:00 a.m.
Harrodsburg	9:00 a.m.	9:00 a.m.
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At 2:30 p.m. Local to Morehead.

At 3:30 p.m. Local to New York Limited.

At 4:30 p.m. Local to Mt. Sterling.

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### Time Card

IN EFFECT NOV. 27th, 1898

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At 12:00 p.m. Fast Train Louisville.

At 2:00 p.m. Local to Morehead.

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## Ebenezer Presbytery Met at Sharpburg.

We clip from the Bath County World of Sharpburg, of Friday, the following:

"The opening sermon of Ebenezer Presbytery, which met with the Presbyterian church here, was preached Tuesday evening by Rev. W. C. Roberts, D. D., President of Centre College, Danville. His theme was 'The Bible,' and his text Rev. 22:7, 'The Sayings of this book.' The sermon was a scholarly discourse upon the Word of God.

"The Presbytery was called to order by Rev. F. J. Cheek, the retiring Moderator, and after the roll-call by Rev. W. C. Roberts, D. D., Stated Clerk, Rev. J. P. Whitehead, of Nowport, was elected Moderator, and Rev. J. N. Erwin, of Dayton, Permanent Clerk.

"Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock, Rev. W. O. Goodloe, D. D., of Harrodsburg, preached a memorial sermon on the life and character of Rev. R. F. Caldwell, taking as his theme, 'The Country Pastor,' and text, 2nd Tim. 3:17, 'The man of God, thoroughly furnished.' It was a beautiful tribute to the country pastor and especially to the life and character of that good man who labored so faithfully the greater portion of his life among the people of this and adjoining communities in his Master's cause.

"Rev. W. S. Fulton, D. D., of Lexington, and Elder J. C. Stevenson, of Morpheyville, were elected Commissioners to the General Assembly which meets at Minneapolis in May.

"Wednesday evening interesting addresses were made by Rev. Donald McDonald, of Shelbyville, and Rev. J. N. Erwin, of Dayton, the former in Home Missions, and the latter on General Home Mission Work."

On Thursday morning Trimbles of THE ADVOCATE went to spend the day and reports some items. The subject under discussion when he arrived was the establishment of churches in Knott county. The decision by vote was that a church should be built at Jones' Chapel, 2 1/2 miles from the town of Hindin, the county seat.

Inasmuch as the Methodists and Baptists are already established there, the Presbytery thought it wise, for the present, at least, not to organize in Mindman.

Contemplated organization at Prexybry was likewise postponed. The Moderator then questioned Mr. Harry Rogers of this city concerning his motives and desires which influence him to choose the ministry as his life work. The examination was satisfactory and Mr. Rogers was received under the care of the Presbytery, preparatory to his college training for the ministry.

There were four applicants for license to preach: Thos. W. Rainey, Mt. Sterling; W. A. Daniel, Newport;

L. A. Barrett, Covington; Thos. P. Grant, Frankfort. They were examined Hebrew, Greek, Church History, Theology, etc. This closed the business of the forenoon.

In the afternoon each of these young men, preached a trial sermon of ten minutes. After their examinations had been reviewed and sermons heard, the Presbytery passed upon the applicants and to them were granted license. They still have one year in the Seminary.

There were present during the session 16 Ministers and 8 Elders. The Presbytery embraces 24 churches. The sessions closed on Thursday evening when Revs. Condit and Barber preached.

The writer dined at the home of Dr. Howard Sharp.

We saw the following Mt. Sterling people who attended: Mesdames Thos. Rogers, Chas. Donohue, Daniel Jones, John English, Jno. Sharp, and Miss Lillie Stephens.

## Ladies' Missionary Societies.

We also clip the following from the same paper concerning the Ladies' Missionary Societies: "The meeting of the Ladies' Missionary Societies were very interesting. Wednesday morning the address of welcome was beautifully delivered by Mrs. A. W. English; response by Miss S. B. Scott, the President. The

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devotional exercises were conducted by Mrs. J. I. Blackburn, of Covington. "Why are Home Missions needed in Our Country?" was an excellent paper by Mrs. C. H. Donohue, of Mt. Sterling. After the devotional exercises a solo, 'Jesus Bids Us Shine' was sung by Little Frances Cheek, son of Rev. F. J. Cheek, was greatly enjoyed. The officers were re-elected, with the following changes: Mrs. F. J. Cheek, First Vice President in the place of Mrs. A. J. Arrick, and Mrs. F. Rogers, Third Vice President in the place of Mrs. J. N. Erwin."

"The Countown 400." Little Crabtree retired from the stage some years ago, and until now she has not had a successor worthy of the name. If you care to see the successor of Lotta, just visit "The Countown 400," and take a long look at the Forces as Tricky France. At Opera House, Wednesday evening, April 26.

## Speaker Reed May Resign.

Speaker Thomas B. Reed has been a member of a New York law firm and, it is understood, will resign his seat in Congress and move to that city. Mr. Reed is now preparing for a trip to Europe, and declines to discuss the rumor of his coming resignation.

## CONVENTION

To Nominate a Democratic Candidate

FOR RAILROAD COMMISSIONER.

Official Call Names Winchester and April 26.

The Third Railroad District Committee met at Lexington on last Wednesday afternoon and issued a call for a convention to nominate a Democrat for Railroad Commissioner, from this district. The convention will be held at Winchester on Wednesday, April 26.

The following is the official call in full:

"Resolved, That a district convention shall be held in the Third Railroad District of Kentucky on Wednesday, April 26, 1899, for the purpose of nominating a Democratic candidate for Railroad Commissioner in said district. Said convention will meet in the city of Winchester at 1 o'clock p. m. Delegates to said convention shall be chosen at various mass meetings, to be held at various county seats in the district at 9 o'clock p. m. on Saturday, April 15, 1899.

"That the basis of representation from each county to the district convention shall be one delegate for every two hundred votes and each fraction over one hundred votes cast for the head of the Democratic electoral ticket at the Presidential election in 1896.

"That all known Democrats and other who will pledge themselves to support the nomination of said district convention shall be entitled to participate in the county conventions to select delegates."

"J. M. LAMING, Chairman.  
"SOUTH TRIMBLE, Secretary."

## Health Precautions in Havana.

Havana physicians are now fined \$50 for each case of yellow fever, smallpox or other infectious disease which they fail to report to the Chief of the Sanitary Department.

## Beware of Ointments For Catarrh That Contain Mercury.

As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure to get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by druggists, price 75 cents per bottle. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

## The Republican Convention.

The nomination of H. S. Irwin for Railroad Commissioner, being a foregone conclusion, was the last interesting part of the proceedings of the Republican convention of the Second Railroad District held in Louisville on last Wednesday. The Federal office-holders were in entire control, and rode rough-shod over the Humboldt faction in Jefferson county.

Even Gov. Bradley failed to restore peace by casting himself into the breach.

In fact the Governor demanded harmony with so much vigor that he found himself involved in a giv-and-take controversy with a postmaster, in the course of which he referred to Dr. Rogers Hunter as a man "not worthy of respect and honor."

## No Senator Elected.

The last ballot for United States Senator was taken by the Pennsylvania Legislature on last Wednesday, and the deadlock remained unbroken. The session ended at noon on Thursday, leaving Pennsylvania with but one representative in the United States Senate.

But, then, that's nothing, for heretofore, Quay, put in most of his time shaking plum trees anyhow.

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Go to see Grubbs & Hazelrigg this week for dress goods, for notions, for carpets.

A Judicial Deway has informed authorities at Washington that he knows nothing of Lieut. Gilmore and the sailors captured by the Filipinos.

That beautiful line of dress goods and notions being offered this week by Grubbs & Hazelrigg is attracting the crowds.

Judge B. F. Day has just closed a deal by which a company is organized and purchased the old Beaver tract of 6,000 acres of land. The company will divide and sub-divide the land into small farms.

### Vagrants Released.

The seven negroes arrested here some time ago on the charge of vagrancy, were released by the court Saturday, Judge Cooper holding that the law was unconstitutional.

Mr. James B. Clark, Plum, Ky., is in receipt of a setting of Barred Plymouth Rock eggs from Sid Conger, of Hope, Ind., for which he paid \$3.00 for 13 eggs. These eggs are from his best premium chickens. From this same breed Mr. Clark is selling 15 eggs for 75c.

### Circuit Court.

The grand jury returned thirty-three indictments, three of which were against thirty-one insurance companies for conspiracy, the others for various misdemeanors. Court adjourned on Saturday until Wednesday and will probably hold over Thursday.

### Anthony Hope's Latest Romance.

Anthony Hope's new romance, "The Countess Emilia," beginning in the May Ladies' Home Journal, will be read with the greatest interest by its author's admirers in this country. In the very opening chapter the reader's curiosity is aroused in the liveliest possible way. The story is in Anthony Hope's characteristic vein, and carries one's interest as unwaveringly as did the "Prisoner of Zenda," with which he entertained and delighted every lover of a good story well told.

Grubbs & Hazelrigg are offering some inducements this week in dress goods.

### Fire.

The residence of James Gillispie caught fire last Saturday morning about 10 o'clock. Mr. Gillispie was attending to farm duties and Mrs. Gillispie was in Lexington, where she had taken her mother, Mrs. Kate Smith, to have her eyes operated on, and at the time of the fire no one was at home except a niece of Mr. Gillispie and the baby, which was in the house asleep.

The flames spread with such rapidity that only a few pieces of furniture were saved.

It was reported that it was with difficulty the babe was saved, but as soon as fire was discovered it was taken from the house.

Loss \$1,500, with insurance of \$650.

### At Death's Door.

Ex-Chief Justice B. J. Peters, now in his ninety-fourth year, is very feeble. His speech and continuous stupor indicate a slight attack of paralysis, which is notice of early demise. Those dear ones who have been watching these later years expecting the moment to come when his spirit would be released from its earthly tenement, say he may never see the light of another day. Judge Peters was one of the most gifted lawyers of his day. He is remarkable in vitality, having attended church twice last week.

### "Povertie Partie."

Everybody should get ready for the "Povertie Partie" to be given by the ladies of the Baptist church the first week in May. The exact date will appear in our next issue.

We have heard much of the "Povertie Partie," and know no one can attend it without having a most enjoyable time. The fact is you laugh until you cry, and then your sides ache until you again laugh and cry. Fix for the occasion.

### Maysville District Sunday School Conference.

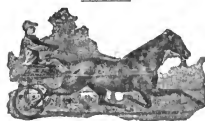
This conference will be held at Sharpburg, commencing Tuesday, April 25, at 8 a. m. District conference at the same place, commencing April 26 at 2 p. m. The programme will be interesting.

### Milch Cows For Sale.

Three fresh Jersey cows for sale or exchange for young grade cattle. Apply to A. W. Hamilton 41-21.

The people buy the best beef of C. F. Keese.

### HORSE AND TRACK.



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## Horses,

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Enter your horses now, and get them in condition for the sale.

Exact day in October will be announced later.

John Dickerson is slated as the driver for Joe Patchen. Others will be announced later.

The Baron Wilkes trotter sold to Senator McCarty as Robert G. Stoner, enjoys the new name of James Shellen.

Boashill by Bermuda is this year's sensation in Europe. At the Vienna, Austria, meeting in March he defeated Senator A. 2:10 and Quo Allen 2:09 1/2 once, and Countess Eve 2:09 1/2 twice.

It is reported that C. W. Marks, of Chicago, will send Joe Patchen to John Dickerson at Goshen, N. Y., to be trained. Dickerson gave the black horse his record at Terre Haute in 1897.

C. F. Keese & Co. see their bees in the pasture, know they are healthy, slaughter them and know they are selling only the best meats.



A very enjoyable dance was given by the Rose Bud Club, at Ford, on last Friday night.

### STANDARD AND REGISTERED.

## AARON ALLEL, 22211.

Rich brown, weighs 1200 pounds; stand 16 hands, gelding measure; 16 1/2 hands, stallion measure.  
Sired by Idol Wilkes 512, first dam Maggie O, by Triton 927; second dam Mollie by Darby 441; third dam Jane by Royal George 83.  
Idol Wilkes (sire of J. H. L. 2:08 1/4, Robert Wilkes 2:09 1/4, and four others), by Geo. Wilkes 2:22 (the greatest trotting sire, by the records, having over two thousand descendants in the list).  
Triton 927 (sire of McDowell 2:35, also full brother to Trinkle 2:14), by Princeps (sire of 27 in list, grand-sire of 50), first dam by Hambleton 10.  
Darby 441 (sire of Lady Thorn 2:25, and R. F. C. 2:23 1/2), by the greatest of brood mare sires, Mambrino Patchen 58.  
Royal George 83, record 2:35 1/4, (sired Lady Byron 2:25), by black Warrior.  
AARON ALLEL'S blood lines are good and strong, uniting the blood of Geo. Wilkes and Mambrino Patchen, called the "golden cross." He has fine natural action, has never been on a track, but has trotted a dirt lane a measured quarter, to road cart, in 40 seconds. His color is large, handsome, stylish horse, some of them having shown speed, and all are good sellers. I do not claim that he will get fine lookers from all little scrubby mares, but I do say that I have seen some such from mares of this description.  
Knowing that we needed a large, handsome, stylish, well-bred trotting stallion here, so that the foals, if they did not trot well, make good sellers, I hunted Kentucky over and found just such a horse.  
Fifteen hundred (\$1500) dollars has been refused for him, and he will stand at the exceedingly low price of \$10.00 cash.  
Or, note due in six months, with return privilege.  
Limited to two mares per day. Those booked will be given the preference.  
Mares from a distance, \$2.00 per month. Best of care, but not responsible for accidents or escape.  
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A number of our people attended the street fair at Owingsville Friday and Saturday.



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**International S. S. Convention**  
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**Confederate Veterans' Reunion**  
Charleston, S. C., May 10-13.

**Southern Baptist Convention**  
Louisville, Ky., May 11-18.

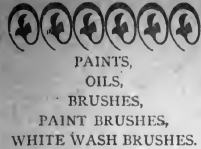
**Chickamauga Dedication Kentucky Monument**  
May 3.

**Biblical Assembly**  
Charlotte, N. C., June 20-29.

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**PERSONAL.**

C. M. Clark, of Jackson, spent Friday night in town.

Mrs. Emma Chensult returned to Georgetown on Saturday.

Miss Lou Benthel, of North Middletown, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. J. W. Stout, of Ohio, is visiting the family of Mrs. Susan Lane.

I. N. Phillips, of Ashland, was in the city a few days the past week.

Col. H. L. Stone, of Louisville, was in the city last week attending court.

Thos. Greenwade and wife, of Frenchburg, were in town Wednesday.

J. O. Rogers, of Versailles, visited his brother, Prof. Rogers, on Saturday.

Mr. W. A. Suddith, of Louisville, Ky., was here last week on legal business.

Mr. Jeff Ratliff and wife visited relatives in Bath county a few days last week.

Shirley Hadden, from college at Lexington, spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

E. D. Lovett, of New York, was a guest of her cousin, Mrs. N. H. Rogers.

Harry C. Rogers returned to Centre College on Monday, after a week's visit home.

Mr. George Snyder, of Paris, was in the city last week on business in the Circuit Court.

Misses Elizabeth Ratliff and Lettie Lane attended the Street Fair at Owingsville on Saturday.

Mrs. William Alexander, of Stephensburg, spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in the city.

Charles Hibler and Thomas Wilson, of Kentucky University, spent from Friday until yesterday at home.

Mrs. Z. T. Moffett, of Sharpshurg, visited her cousin, Mrs. N. H. Trimble, from Saturday until Monday.

Mrs. Mollie Gatewood is in Winchester visiting her sister, Mrs. Creth Taylor, and will be absent about ten days.

Mrs. Nannie McCann and children and Miss Annie Burbridge attended the street fair in Owingsville on Saturday.

Mr. Thomas S. Andrews, cashier of Pant & Co.'s Bank, Flemingsburg, was in the city Thursday on business in the court.

Mrs. Willie McCormick on Tuesday accompanied her brother, Charles, to his home at Roslyn, where she will visit a few weeks.

C. G. Ragan and wife are in Newport visiting relatives.

Miss Lucy Smith is now visiting in Galveston, Texas, and will return home in a few weeks. Her health is greatly improved.

Mrs. Meddams Howard VanAntwerp and L. T. Chiles have returned from a two weeks' visit to Mrs. A. Judson Arlick, at Louisville.

Miss Minnie Groves on Friday afternoon went to spend two days with her parents at Pizah. She was accompanied by Nigie Coleman.

Miss Lizzie Green, of Salt Lick, who has been visiting Miss McCormick at Spencer for the past two weeks, returned to her home yesterday.

After attending Presbytery at Sharpshurg and visiting Harry C. Rogers, of this city, Messrs. T. P. Grant, Daniel and T. W. Rainey returned to Centre College on Friday.

Mr. J. W. McClure, of Winchester, stopped over in this city, a day or so last week with relatives, enroute home from Huntington, W. Va., where she had been on a visit for some time.

Mr. George Uterback, a primitive and highly respected citizen of Stephensburg, spent last Saturday with his daughters, Mrs. George's Thompson and Mrs. Mollie Shanklin and granddaughter, Mrs. Lillian Chesnut.

Mr. Joe R. Tanager and wife have returned from Albuquerque, New Mexico, where they were last winter for Mr. Turner's health. We are glad to say Mr. Turner is very much improved and indications are he will be permanently cured.

Elder D. N. Manley and family, of Mason county, are visiting Mr. James B. Clark and other relatives at Plum. After May 4th they will be enroute for Rainy River Valley, Canada, where a number of Kentuckians will take up a lot of uncultivated government lands.

The following of our people attended the performance given by Nat Goodwin at Lexington on Thursday evening: Messrs. Roger and John

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STYLE, QUALITY, WORK, WEAR.  
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all lines and prices. We will be satisfied with your verdict.  
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**THE SICK.**  
R. M. Burbridge, who has been quite sick, is now able to be at his place of business.  
We are sorry to announce the serious illness of Mr. Ed Reis with pneumonia.  
Mrs. T. G. Denton, who has been quite sick, we are glad to say is able to sit up.  
**CASTORIA.**  
Bears the  
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Wanted.  
I want to buy 20 yearling red-poll horses.  
W. F. HILLEN,  
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Mt. Sterling, Ky.

**MARRIAGES.**

CUMMINGS-ELLIOTT.

On Wednesday afternoon, April 12, 1899, at the home of Phil Elliott, near Winchester, Mr. Walter Cummings, of Sideview, was married to Miss Patsie Elliott, Rev. R. French officiating. In the evening a reception was given at the home of the groom's father, C. T. Cummings. An elegant supper was served to about 50 friends. Mr. Geo. Cummings was present with his graphophone and pleased the audience with his selections. The musical program was completed with violin and banjo. The bride and groom will keep house at the Cummings home. We extend congratulations.

STEVENS-WITHERSPON.

On last Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at the residence of N. H. Witherspoon, his daughter, Miss Linna, was married to John M. Stevens, of Georgetown, the groom's father officiating.

The groom is an attorney and County Superintendent of Schools of Scott county.

The relatives and only a few friends were present. Saxton furnished the music. An elegant lunch was served. The bride and groom drove to Lexington and started on a trip to South-eastern cities.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Next Thursday morning at 6:30 at the Christian church, Rev. H. D. Clark officiating, Mr. Byrd L. Chambers, of Henderson, will be married to Miss Keturah Clinke, of this city. They leave on the 7:35 express for Louisville and Henderson, where they will reside. Miss Clinke is a most estimable woman and we regret to have her go so far from home. The man of her choice is a fine man and together they will assist in making the world better. Miss Clinke is a niece of Jno. H. and James Mason and Mrs. James D. Hazlerigg; also a niece of Col. R. S. Clinke of Confederate fame, and a relation of Judge James H. Hazlerigg, of the Court of Appeals.

**Special Rates to Louisville.**  
During the month of May, 1899, via the Southern Railroad. Note the dates on which you can go to Louisville cheap:  
The spring meeting of the new Louisville Jockey Club: Tickets on sale May 3 to 19, good to return May 22. Rate one and one-third fare for the round trip. On May 4th, Derby day, May 11th, Clarke Stake, and May 20th Kentucky Oaks, only one fare for the round trip, tickets good two days to return.  
May Musical Festival: Tickets on sale May 9 and 10, good to return May 11. One fare for the round trip.  
Southern Baptist Convention: Tickets on sale May 8 to 12, inclusive, good to return 15 days from date of sale. One fare for the round trip.  
Travelers' Protective Association: Tickets on sale May 15 and 16, good to return May 22. One fare for the round trip.  
For rates and further information, call on or address nearest agent of the Southern Railway or  
WM. H. TAYLOR,  
Asst. Gen. Pass. Agent,  
Louisville, Ky.

**Compliment Deserved.**  
For more than a month architect Ed. William, of the firm of William Broe, of this city, has been contending with architects from Knoxville, Louisville and other places for the remodeling of the Baptist church at Shelbyville. Mr. William landed the job last week. The greater the compliment when it is understood that Shelbyville is known as a place of modern architecture, of cultured taste; that it is a place of colleges and churches, that they have some of the handsomest church buildings in the State, and that this one is to be the handsomest of them all. We congratulate Mr. William.

If any of our lady readers go from home to have their dresses made, we ask them to call on Mrs. John Maupin, 94 West Main street, Lexington.

J. W. Moss and S. J. Ratliff bought about 35,000 pounds of tobacco in Fleming county last week, paying good prices.

See the advertisement of Mrs. John Maupin, fashionable dress maker, of Lexington.

**RELIGIOUS.**

See on page five an account of the Presbytery and Methodist conference.

On next Sunday evening Rev. W. J. Hollis will preach on the subject, "Sanctification."

Rev. H. Clay Ramey and son went to Cynthia, where the son preached on Sunday.

Services next Sunday Morning and night at the Presbyterian church by the pastor Rev. Henry Miller.

Rev. J. W. Mitchell preached two excellent sermons Sunday morning and evening at the Methodist church.

Be sure to read the letter of Miss Fannie Hille, the Methodist missionary in Korea. It is in this issue. Read it.

Mr. Edward Marshall, from Centre College, preached two excellent sermons at First Presbyterian church on Sunday.

Rev. W. S. Fritton, of Lexington, lectured at Sharpshurg on Saturday evening, subject John Knox. He preached twice on Sunday.

Rev. W. J. Hollis will assist pastor Edward Stubbfield in a protracted meeting at the Flemingsburg Baptist church beginning May 21st.

Rev. M. G. Buckner preached at the North Middletown Christian church on Sunday, and the pastor of that congregation preached at Washington.

Rev. S. H. Durand, of South Hampton, Penn., a teacher of the old school Baptist doctrine, will preach at the homes of J. W. Ratliff, R. M. Burbridge and Mrs. Susan Lane on Tuesday and Wednesday, May 2d and 3d.

Walnut Street Baptist church will not allow whiskey dealers, whiskey makers or whiskey drinkers to remain in their fellowship. Dealers and makers are given one year in which to get out of the business. It did not please Mr. Waterson, of the Courier-Journal, so he wrote an editorial on it last week and in Monday's Courier-Journal Dr. Eaton, pastor of the church, proceeded to puncture Waterson's sack and let the wind out.

Meeting at the Christian church will continue this week; interest unabating. There have been 42 additions up to the present. The following are the subjects for the week:  
Tuesday—Christ and the Young Ruler.  
Wednesday—The Fascination of Evil.  
Thursday—The Dead Line of the Soul.  
Friday—Choose Whom You Will Serve.  
Saturday—Why Tarliest Thou?  
Sunday, a. m.—The Great Rejection.  
Sunday, p. m.—Sowing and Reaping.

**First Tour in America.**  
The famous Mexican Bull Fighters, an eminently Mexican spectacle, consisting of 60 genuine Mexicans, in a true representation of Mexico's National Sport, the bull fight will exhibit at Mt. Sterling, April 29th. This is the first tour of this mammoth aggregation in America, therefore this is the first time that the American people have had an opportunity of witnessing in this country this novel, exciting and interesting exhibition. An American Amusement Syndicate conceived the idea of bringing this organization to this country; they have now extended their plans and the result is one of the most original and sensational exhibitions of the age—something new and never before witnessed in this country. The performance requires a mammoth inclosure 1,500 feet in length. Within these walls is a vast arena 300 feet in diameter, around which there is a wire fence 7 feet in height, which affords ample protection to the thousands of persons that visit this, the greatest of modern amusement enterprises.

**Get Your Gun!**  
The Leader, of Lexington, says that a syndicate, composed of Dock Hicks, of Frenchburg; Col. E. F. Clay and Catechy Woodford, of Paris, has been formed to establish a deer park on Tarr Ridge in Menefee county. The park is to contain 600 acres. The deer are to come from National Yellowstone Park. Yes, get ready to shoot. The people of Menefee probably know of Tarr Ridge.

**DEATHS.**

HENRY.

J. T. Henry, of Plum, Ky., went to Louisville and was overcast upon on Sunday, April 9. He died in that city on Thursday afternoon, April 20. His body was brought through this city on Friday. The burial occurred on Saturday morning at the Henry Boardman graveyard, near Plum. He was a son of Geo. Henry, of near North Middletown. He leaves a wife and five children. His condition was not regarded as serious, and his many friends will be grieved to hear of his death.

THOMAS.

Mr. John J. Thomas died at his home at Preston on last Thursday, April 20. Burial in Owingsville cemetery on Friday. Mr. Thomas was one of the best known men in this and Bath counties.

**Wolfe County Democrats.**  
At a called meeting of the Democrats of Wolfe county, held, in the Court house, in the town of Campton, on the 15th day of April, 1899, to send delegates to the general convention to be held in Winchester, Ky., on the 26th day of April, 1899, to nominate a Democratic candidate for Railroad Commissioner for the Third Railroad Commission district of Kentucky.

J. H. Stamper, Jr., was elected chairman and W. S. Tull, secretary of said convention. A. H. Stamper, J. R. Hollan and A. D. Lykins were appointed a committee on resolutions, and reported the following resolutions which were unanimously adopted by said convention:

1st. Resolved, That we approve of the time and place of holding said convention.

2d. Resolved, That we endorse the Democratic national platform of 1896, so ably defended by the matchless W. J. Bryan.

3d. Resolved, That we condemn the present administration in their unpatriotic, inhuman and cruel war of conquest now being waged on the Philippine Islands, and its policy of expansion at the cost of American blood and money, and in an attempt to subject an unwilling people and abrogate their liberties, which we deem to be "criminal aggression."

4th. Resolved, That the 5 votes of Wolfe county be cast for the Hon. A. W. Hamilton, of Montgomery county, for Railroad Commissioner in this, the Third Railroad district, of Kentucky.

5th. Resolved, That J. A. Taulbee, A. H. Stamper, H. F. Peratt, T. P. Stamper, J. B. Hildon, J. F. Vansant, A. F. Byrd and Spencer Cooper be appointed delegates to attend the district convention to be held at Winchester on the 26th day of April, 1899.

6th. Resolved, That in the event said delegates do not attend said convention the Hon. Courtland P. Chennault, of Montgomery county, is authorized to cast the vote of Wolfe county on all matters arising in said convention, as per instructions.

7th. Resolved, That the proceedings of this convention be published in the Hazel Green Herald, and all other Democratic newspapers in this district are requested to copy.

A. H. STAMPER,  
J. B. HILDON,  
A. D. LYKINS,  
Committee on Resolutions.

**Removal to Indiana.**  
On yesterday J. B. Tipton began boxing up his stock of drugs preparatory to removal to Martinsville, Ind. He and his son Alban and wife will leave this week. After opening up their new store, he will return to this city, where he will continue to make his home. He has been in the business here several years. We commend Mr. Alban Tipton and wife to the people of their new home. He has had eight years experience as a druggist. He attended the Louisville School of Pharmacy and stood high in his class.

Mr. Charles Donouane has bought and shipped within the last three weeks about 800 hogs, average 200 lbs. and ranging in price from \$3.25 to \$3.50 which brought into the county about \$5,000.

Special train and excursion rates to Huntington, W. Va., May 6th, on account of the performance of Wallace's Combined Worlds Greatest Circus.

**BIRTHS.**

A. Miller, born on April 18th, to the wife of Claude V. Vannant, a son—Thompson, a name sake of the grandfather, R. L. Thompson.

Born, on the 11th inst., in Louisville, to the wife of Capt. John Carmichael, a daughter.

**On the Cumberland.**  
Dr. Wm. VanAntwerp, C. C. P. try, H. R. French, Ed. Mitchell, G. L. Kirkpatrick and Geo. Coleman are on the Cumberland fishing this week. No doubt they will land many good ones, and have narrow escapes beyond number.

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I offer to the farmers of this and adjoining counties at the exceedingly low fee of \$10.00, the use of a standard bred stallion, that has demonstrated his ability to get large, handsome, stylish and good sellers from small mares. There is no doubt but that the horses of this section are too small, and the remedy for this is to use large stallions.

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Messrs. R. Harper, C. G. Ragan, Judge John D. Young and Capt. Jack Stewart were on Slat's slating last week. They caught about 100 good ones, so they say.

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### Jefferson's Principles.

In view of the fact we have to-day the trust, imperialism, betrayal of the people by "representatives," extravagance in public office and unnecessary taxation, a non-trust and growing public debt, censorship of news, favored classes and nepotism, the following statement of Thomas Jefferson's "Democratic principles" is interesting.

The people the only source of legitimate power.  
The absolute and lasting severance of church and state.  
The freedom, sovereignty and independence of the respective States.

The Union, a confederacy, a compact, neither a consolidation nor a centralization.  
The constitution of the Union, a special written grant of powers limited and definite.

The civil paramount to the military power.

The representative to obey the instructions of his constituents.  
Elections free and suffrage universal.

No hereditary office nor order nor title.  
No taxation beyond the public wants.

No national debt if possible.  
No costly splendor of administration.

No prescription of opinion, nor of public discussion.

No unnecessary interference with individual conduct, property or speech.

No favored classes and no monopolies.

No public money expended, except by warrant of special appropriation.  
No mysteries of government inaccessible to the public eye.

Public compensation for public services salaries moderate and paying economy. THOMAS JEFFERSON.

**Increases Assessments.**  
The State Board of Equalization on last Wednesday completed final assessments in the counties of Bracken, Logan, Jackson and Owsley.

In Bracken the preliminary assessment of both farm lands and town lots was increased 30 per cent. In Logan farm lands were increased 9 per cent. and town lots 4 per cent. The local assessments in Jackson and Owsley were allowed to stand as final.

**No Volunteers in Cuba.**  
All the State volunteers who went to Cuba have now left the island. All the volunteers now left in Cuba are the negro regiments at Santiago, and they will be relieved by the Tenth Cavalry.

The snow blockade on the Colorado Midland railroad west of Leadville lasted for 77 days and was broken on April 14.

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